

**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PATENT EXAMINING OPERATION

Applicant(s): Sanjay Patel

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For: POLYAMIDE-AMIC ACID COATING FORMULATIONS AND PROCESSES

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a 1-month extension of time, up to and including December 14, 2006 for further responding to the Office Action dated August 8, 2006 by electronically submitting herewith the Response to Advisory Action.

Authorization to charge the additional fee of \$120.00 for the 1-month extension of time and/or any additional fees associated with this Petition For Extension of Time is granted in the Fee Transmittal being filed electronically herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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